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TAGS: CASC (WIDEMAN, BERNARD)
SUBJECT: WIDEMAN CASE

REF: MANILA 8039

1. WIDEMAN INFORMED EMBOFF JUNE 17 COMMISSIONER REYES HAD CALLED HIS ATTORNEY SENATOR SALONGA AND TOLD HIM HE (REYES) WAS READY TO ACCOUNCE DECISION IN WIDEMAN CASE. REYES CLAIMED HE HAD PERSUADED AMBASSADOR BENEDICTO'S LAWYERS TO "DROP CHARGES". BEGIN FYI. WIDEMAN FEELS BENEDICTO WAS NEVER SERIOUS ABOUT PARTICIPATING IN HEARINGS. END FYI. REYES ASKED SALONGA WHEN HE WANTED FINAL HEARING. AFTER CHECKING WITH WIDEMAN, SALONGA TOLD REYES EARLY NEXT WEEK.

2. WIDEMAN WAS OPTIMISTIC THAT HE WOULD BE PERMITTED TO STAY. ASKED ABOUT HIS PRESS CREDENTIAL HE NOTED THIS WOULD BE DPI DECISION. HE IS ANXIOUS TO HAVE THEM, HOWEVER, IN VIEW OF UPCOMING AQUINO TRIAL (JUNE 22), THE WORLD FOOD COUNCIL MEETING AND LAST BUT NOT LEAST HELICOPTER TRIP OVER MANILA THAT METRO MANILA GOVERNOR, MRS. MARCOS, IS PLANNING FOR PRESS LATE NEXT WEEK.

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